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DISCHARGE LAMP AND LAMP UNIT, AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING LAMP UNIT

AMENDMENT

April 24, 2003

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In Reply to the Office Action dated December 24, 2002, the due date having been extended one (1) month to April 24, 2003, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-referenced application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 4 and 7-10 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please add the following new claims:

- 11. An image projection apparates including the discharge lamp of claim 1.
- A liquid crystal projector ficluding the discharge lamp of claim 1. 12.
- 13. A digital micromirror device including the discharge lamp of claim 1.

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